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April 16, 2001

Honorable Phillip N. Asprodites Commissioner of Conservation P.O. Box 94275 Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-9275

APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC HEARING

Re: Camerina A Sand, Reservoir E
Miogypsinoides Sand, Reservoir B
Duson Field
Lafayette Parish, Louisiana

Dear Sir:

Application is hereby made on behalf of **CENTURY EXPLORATION COMPANY** "(Applicant)" for the calling of a public hearing, after legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Camerina A Sand, Reservoir E** and the **Miogypsinoides Sand, Reservoir B** in Duson Field, Lafayette Parish, Louisiana.

Camerina A Sand, Reservoir E:

- To create a single drilling and production unit of approximately 62 acres for the production of gas and condensate from the Camerina A Sand, Reservoir E, in Duson Field, Lafayette Parish, Louisiana, all as more particularly shown on the attached plat; and
- 2. To establish rules and regulations governing the exploration for and the production of gas and condensate from said unit;
- 3. To force pool and integrate all of the separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the proposed unit, with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation; and

- 3. To provide that the Commissioner of Conservation may reclassify the Camerina A Sand, Reservoir E by Supplemental Order and without the necessity of a public hearing should the producing characteristics of the Reservoir change and such reclassification of the reservoir be warranted based on evidence furnished to the Commissioner.
- 4. To provide that future wells drilled inside the Camerina A Sand, Reservoir E shall be exempt from the provisions of Statewide Order No, 29-E.
- 5. To consider such other matters as may be appropriate and justified.

The Camerina Sand, Reservoir E in **Duson Field,** Lafayette Parish, Louisiana, is hereby defined as that gas and condensate bearing sand encountered between the depths of 10,776' and 10,786' in the Century Exploration Company - L. J. Lemaire No. 1 well located in section 6, Township 10 South - Range 3 East, Lafayette Parish, Louisiana.

MIOGYPSINOIDES SAND, RESERVOIR B:

- To dissolve the unit created by Office of Conservation Order No. 197-Z-1, effective August 15, 2000 and simultaneously therewith to create a revised unit of approximately 121 acres for the exploration for and the production of gas and condensate from the Miogyp RB SU A, Duson Field, Lafayette Parish, Louisiana, all as more particularly shown on the attached plat;
- 2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral interest and other property interests within the units so created, with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation; and
- 3. To provide that the remaining provisions Order No. 197-Z shall remain in force and effect.
- 5. To consider such other matters as may be appropriate and justified.

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The Miogypsinoides Sand, Reservoir B in **Duson Field,** Lafayette Parish, Louisiana, is hereby defined as that gas and condensate bearing sand encountered between the depths of 11,096' and 11,128' in the Century Exploration Company - L. J. Lemaire No. 1 well located in section 6, Township 10 South - Range 3 East, Lafayette Parish, Louisiana.

Pertinent data concerning this application is available for inspection at the offices of Joe B. Adams, 4520 Jamestown Ave., Suite 6, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70808. Any person wishing to inspect such data should contact the undersigned at (225) 929-6097 during normal business hours in order to arrange a date and time for such inspection. A copy of any such pertinent data which is not otherwise available from records of the Louisiana Office of Conservation can be obtained from Mr. Adams at the expense of the requesting party.

In accordance with the Revised Rules of Procedure, a pre-application conference was held at 10:30 A.M. on Thursday, April 12, 2001 at the Lafayette Petroleum Club, 111 Heyman Blvd., Lafayette, Louisiana. The conference was opened by the undersigned, who explained the purpose of the conference, the procedure for filing the application, and presented the applicant's units and discussed the bases for the proposal. After a question and answer period, Mr. Joe Battle on behalf of Clyde Leger presented a counterplan which pulled the structure to the southwest, resulting in substantially larger units for both the Camerina A and the Miogypsinoides Sands. No compromise was agreed to at the conference and this applicant is being filed under the provisions of the Revised Rules of Procedure.

Attached hereto and made a part hereof is a plat of the units proposed by the Applicant for the Camerina A Sand, Reservoir E and the Miogyp Sand, Reservoir B, in Duson Field, Lafayette Parish, Louisiana and a list of those parties who attended the conference. Also attached is a list of the names of the Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties to whom a copy of this application is being sent. Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, such list is being forwarded only to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Lafayette District of the Office of Conservation. A copy of the list will be furnished by the undersigned to any party so requesting. A reasonable effort was made to obtain a complete list of Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties. A copy of this letter and the attached plat is being sent to the District Manager of the Lafayette District of the Office of Conservation and to the Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties, as shown on the attached list.

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Applicant will provide for POSTING of a copy of the legal notices of the hearing and the enclosed plats at a prominent place in the area affected and will cause the LEGAL NOTICE to be PUBLISHED in a newspaper of general circulation in the vicinity of the Duson Field, all in accordance with the Revised Rules of Procedure. Furthermore, Applicant will mail a copy of the Legal Notice to all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties promptly upon receipt of the Legal Notice.

Enclosed herewith is my check in the amount of \$ 1,400.00 payable to the Office of Conservation covering the application fee.

Yours very truly, Joe B. Adams

Joe B. Adams

cc: Mr. Richard Hudson, District Manager
 Office of Conservation
 P. O. Box 51285
 Lafayette, LA 70505

All Interested Owners, Interested Parties and Represented Parties



